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Local and Personal News.

Jack Richmond, of south of Oxley, was in town last Saturday trading.

J. A. McGruder, the Naylor merchant came up on the Sunday evening train for an over night stay.

Mrs. W. H. S. Miles returned home Sunday evening from a visit with her father in Scott county.

Grover Fulbright is here from Cape county on a visit to his brother, Hon. J. F. Fulbright and family.

W. H. S. Miles came in the first of this week from the Cape where he had been to attend federal court.

Jason Dodd and son of Bardley, came down Tuesday evening and returned Wednesday morning with a new grain drill.

Mrs. E. M. Nunneler and children of Bloomfield, are here this week visiting at the home of John H. Nunneler and wife.

W. W. Gary, who went to the Cape the first of the week as a witness in federal court returned Wednesday morning.

Andy Taylor and wife of Pratt, who spent last week in St. Louis, attending the Velled Prophets parade, arrived home Saturday.

Mrs. J. W. McGee, of East Locust street, returned from the bluff the latter part of last week where she had been on a visit to relatives.

Mrs. Chester M. Pearce and small son, of Vian, Oklahoma, came in last Saturday on a visit to her mother, Mrs. Anderson and other relatives.

Homer N. Miles, who went up to St. Louis the first of last week to take in the sights and to look after business matters, returned home Saturday.

"Uncle Mike" Nichols the first of this week had a granitoid side walk built on the west side of his residence property on Walnut street. O. G. Pope did the work.

Herman Borth returned the latter part of last week from a trip through northwest Arkansas where he was looking at the country, and was well pleased with that part of the state.

A new Case traction engine was received at this station the first of this week, for Jack Weatherpoon, of Success, Ark., who unloaded it and took it to his saw mill in the south part of this county. It was one of the heaviest tractors ever brought into the county. During the thrashing season Mr. Weatherpoon will use it with his separator.

Rev. Geo. J. Evans, pastor of the Methodist church of this city, and family, left last Saturday for West Plains, Mo., where he was assigned as pastor at the recent conference. Mr. Evans and family made many friends while residents of the city, who will regret to have them move. The new pastor, Rev. Wrenn, will be here in time to hold services at the church next Sunday.

The Doniphan football team came down last Friday and played the first game of the season on the local grounds with the Corns high school team, defeating the local boys by the score of 25 to 0. As stated, this was the home boys first game, and all but two of the local team had never been in a football game until this one. However, they took their defeat like gentlemen, and promise to make a better showing in a return game with the Doniphan boys. They were accompanied by Supt. Bertram Harry, of Doniphan schools. The team was composed of a gentlemanly bunch of young men. The visiting team was tendered a reception at the home of School Supt. Harvey Haley last Friday night.—Corns Times.

Frank Gram, real estate dealer of Naylor, was here between trains Wednesday.

Will Perry left Wednesday noon for Little Rock and other points in the south.

F. E. Smelser returned the latter part of last week from a weeks visit in Texas.

H. C. Goddin, of Naylor, was up to Doniphan Wednesday looking after business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Thomas of East Locust street are the parents of a new boy baby since Sunday.

Henry Catlin, who has been working over in Illinois for the past year, is here this week on a visit to relatives.

Dr. S. A. Proctor returned Wednesday morning from Cape Girardeau where he had been on business.

K. K. Shemwell returned from Cape Girardeau Wednesday, where he had been attending court as a witness.

A very beneficial rain fell here Tuesday night which was much appreciated as the ground was getting a little dry.

Pearl Daniels left Wednesday of this week for Arkansas where he is working after spending several days here visiting relatives.

Miss Bertha Daniels, operator of the Doniphan Telephone Co., returned home from a short visit at St. Louis Tuesday.

P. J. Hurford, J. J. Blank and Harley Sipes, are at Cape Girardeau this week serving on the federal jury there during federal court.

John Wills, of West Eminence, is here this week visiting friends and relatives. Mr. Wills was a resident of Doniphan many years ago.

Claud Davis, son of Squire and Mrs. Joe Davis, of Shirley township, arrived here last Saturday on a visit. He is now located at Colgate, Oklahoma.

I. F. Bounds, of Grandin, a former pupil at Smith's Business College here, was in town last Monday and left on the noon train for points in Arkansas.

Mrs. Robt. C. Garrison and little daughter, went over to Big Island in Butler county, Wednesday noon, on a visit with her sister, Mrs. H. E. Braschler.

Drs. Proctor performed an operation last Sunday on Ed Moore of this city for the removal of a part of the right foot, which had become diseased from the effects of a bruise.

Miss Beattie Griffin, of Poplar Bluff, who has been visiting the Misses Veda and Doris Hancock of East Locust street, for the past week, returned to her home Tuesday noon.

O. K. Baldwin and wife, who recently sold their farm, two miles east of town on the railroad to a gentleman named Moore, left this week for California, where they formerly lived.

Lance Utt, of St. Louis, who has been here this summer as a pitcher for the Doniphan ball club, left last Saturday for his home. M. Reed, of Louisville, Ky., also a pitcher, left on the same train.

Local merchants report a very large increase in the demand for winter oats seed and a decrease in the demand for seed rye. Winter or turf oats is a grain that is going to enjoy a large and increasing acreage as farmers become more familiar with it.

Several officers of the Ripley County Bank went to Cape Girardeau last Monday to attend Federal court, where in the bank of Maynard, Ark., had sued the Ripley County Bank on a check given by W. H. S. Miles on the local bank here and cashed by the Arkansas bank. Upon the lawyers interested in the case getting together at Cape Girardeau, and deciding there was not sufficient grounds to go to court and have a trial, the court dismissed the case. Those going from here were Vice-presidents, S. A. Proctor and K. K. Shemwell, and Cashier J. D. Gerlach, of the defendant bank, and W. W. Gary, cashier of the Citizens bank and Attorney C. O. Borth.

Dr. R. B. McDonald, the dentist, is at home for a visit at his former home in north Missouri.

Jack Roberts, of the Pine neighborhood, but who lives just over the line in Oregon county, was in town over night yesterday.

From the amount of fertilizer and new drills being sold, it is evident a large acreage of wheat will be sown this month.

M. W. Presson, the napsyman, moved from town to the farm of Dr. Jno. E. Hume, a short distance down the river, the first of this week.

Albert Sheppard came over from the bluff last Friday to witness the football game. He remained over until Monday visiting.

J. U. Swain, County Treasurer W. F. McClain and Mrs. M. F. Vandivort, have just completed new granitoid sidewalks along their places.

Oscar Denton, who has been here this summer playing with the Doniphan ball club, left Wednesday for his home at Paducah, Kentucky.

A township Sunday School Convention was held last Sunday at New Hope church in Harris township. A large crowd was present and a successful meeting held, several going out from town to attend.

The smoke stack at the water works power house, which was destroyed during the high water in August, when part of the old dry kiln floated against the guy wires and pulled it over, has been replaced by a new stack.

The Doniphan High School Lyceum course will open the season on Monday night, November 1st, at the high school auditorium. The first attraction will be the Westminster Entertainers and will be followed by six other numbers.

L. A. Sadler and Miss Nora Gailther, of Liebig, were married by Rev. M. W. Cotton, yesterday afternoon. They will make their home near Liebig, in the south part of the county, where both young people were raised and are well known.

G. W. Wilson who has run the boarding house and feed yard west of the court house for the past year has sold his place to a Mr. E. E. Kitchens, of Oklahoma. Mr. Kitchens and family arrived here this week and are now in charge, Mr. Wilson and family returned to their old home on Buffalo creek.

Joseph F. Zarick, of Budapest and Miss Grace M. Bryant of Chicago, Ill., were married Wednesday morning by Rev. Fr. Hurcik, of St. Benedicts Catholic church of this city. Miss Bryant arrived in this city, the evening before. They will make their home on the farm of the groom in the northeast part of the county, at Budapest.

Bill Retrick, of Poplar Bluff sure is some walker. In order to see the Doniphan-Poplar Bluff foot ball game, he left Poplar Bluff about 10:00 o'clock and arrived here in time to see the game which began at 3:00 o'clock, a distance of about 30 miles by wagon road. He is quite an athlete, an enjoys walking, which is one of the best methods of keeping in good health.

Hon. Paul Nesbitt, of McAlester, Okla., came in yesterday noon on a business trip, he being the owner of some Ripley county soil. Mr. Nesbitt, is an old newspaper man, having been formerly on the St. Louis Republic and afterwards with Oklahoma newspapers. During the administration of Governor Haskell, he was private secretary to the governor, but is now the representative of Pittsburg county in the last Oklahoma legislature. Mr. Nesbitt is a staunch Democrat and while here made this office a pleasant call. He was well pleased with Ripley county and liked her people very much, he said.

Poplar Bluff High, Defeats Doniphan High 12 to 0.

The foot ball game of last Friday, at Athletic park between the Poplar Bluff high school team and the Doniphan high school team, resulted in a victory for the visitors by a score of 12 to 0. The game was called at 3:00 o'clock, and a fair sized crowd of rooters were present but were not able to root the local bunch to victory.

It was a hard fought game and both teams gave good accounts of themselves, but the end runs made by the visiting players were a little too much for the local boys, and carried the visitors to victory.

Off to the Cape.

The delegation of Democrats to attend the Southeast Missouri Democratic Rally, at Cape Girardeau yesterday left on the noon train Wednesday, and will return home today.

Those going from here were: C. L. Ferguson, prosecuting attorney; Jas. F. Fulbright, representative; W. F. McClain, county treasurer; W. C. Murray, postmaster; J. P. Campbell, editor Prospect News; D. G. Cunningham, editor of the Democrat; W. H. Stone, B. S. James, Herman Borth, Hattie Criss.

Committed Suicide.

Word was received here last Sunday by telephone that Hilton A. Crofford, a well known farmer living on the Thaxton farms on Buffalo, about 20 miles up the river, had killed himself.

Coroner S. A. Proctor and Sheriff B. S. Williams immediately left for the scene and held an inquest and found that he had come to his death by his own hands. He used a single barreil shot gun and going to the corn crib on the place blew the top of his head off.

He was a renter on the Thaxton farm and after the drought of last summer, he failed to make a crop and this spring borrowed money to put his crop in with and the high water in August swept his summers work away, which caused him to worry considerably, and is thought to have unbalanced his mind, causing him to commit the act.

He was about 55 years old, and leaves a wife and two children. The funeral was held on Monday and the body buried in the Bennett cemetery.

Fulbright-Thaxton.

Grover Cleveland Fulbright, of Oak Ridge, Cape County, and Miss Dona Thaxton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Thaxton, of this city, were married last Wednesday evening, by Rev. J. W. Beauchamp, at his home three miles south of town.

The following morning they departed for Pocahontas, Ark., to visit a sister of the bride, and from there will return to Oakridge, where Mr. Fulbright is engaged in teaching school. The groom is a brother of Hon. J. F. Fulbright, of this city and is a frequent visitor here, and both of the contracting parties have many friends here who will wish them well on the journey through life.

International Pavedway.

Danville, Ill., Oct. 15.—W. A. Lippman, of St. Louis, Mo., director of the International Pavedway, extending from Detroit through St. Louis to San Antonio, Texas, will next week start on a tour of inspection of the routes available between St. Louis and Little Rock, Ark.

Starting from St. Louis on the LeMay Ferry rock road, which is hard surface as far as Ironton, 109 miles, with the exception of 2 1/2 miles five miles south of DeSoto, but for which contract has been let for a first class road during the past few weeks, the necessary appropriation being made. His route will extend from Ironton through Cantonville, Van Buren, Doniphan, crossing the Arkansas state into Randolph county, and thence through Pocahontas, Walnut Ridge, Newport and Searay to Little Rock.

A conference will be held at Little Rock, with Fred Haiskell, Arkansas director, and the continuation of the route on toward Texarkana will be considered, the road along the line of the Iron Mountain railroad being most favored. Should Mr. Lippman's tour extend as far as Texarkana the matter will be taken up with J. A. Buchanan, the director at that point, the final determination of the exact routes being in the hands of the directors.

The route through Illinois is now being covered, meetings being held in every county along the route at which means to be employed in constructing permanent roads along the route are considered. The office of the secretary of the International Pavedway is at Danville, Ill.

Damaging Road Signs.

Jefferson City, Mo., Oct. 4th, 1915—State Highway Commissioner, Frank W. Bufum sends out the following communication in regard to damaging road signs:

We are having a number of complaints come into our office from officials who are erecting road and other signs, stating that the signs are shot at and damaged by hunters and others.

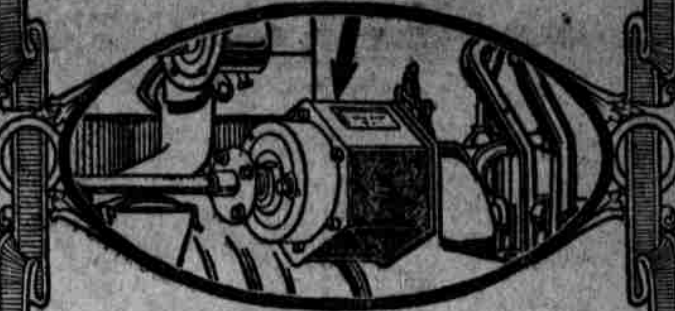
We believe that this is oftentimes done thoughtlessly, but in as much as it is becoming too much of a custom, we would be pleased, if you care to do so, to have you assist in seeing that not only hunters do not shoot at signs, but ask the people to not deface the signs by throwing stones at them; and that the school teachers call attention of the school children to this bad habit, as everybody should have a pride in seeing our highways present a good appearance.

Marriage Licenses.

Recorder John W. Young has issued the following marriage licenses since our last issue.

October 12th.
Joseph F. Zarick,.....Budapest, Mo.
Grace M. Bryant,.....Chicago, Ill.
October 13th.
Grover C. Fulbright,.....Millerville, Mo.
Dona Thaxton,.....Doniphan, Mo.
October 14th.
L. A. Sadler,.....Galewood, Mo.
Rosa Gailther,.....Galewood, Mo.

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